Docket No. FE 6023



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Tiziano DALL'OCCO, et al.

Serial No.: 10/517,587 Group Art Unit: 1755

Filed: December 9, 2004 Examiner: J.M. BROWN

Title: CATALYST COMPONENTS FOR THE POLYMERIZATION OF OLEFINS

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action bearing a mailing date of December 16, 2005. The three-month shortened statutory period to respond is set to expire on March 16, 2006. As such, this response is timely filed.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding objection and rejections and allow all claims pending in this application.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the above captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1-2, 4-5, 8, 10-11, and 14 - 16 as shown in Attachment A without any prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter expressed therein.